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## PATENT

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed August 3, 2007. Claims 1-7 and 14-25 have been restricted under 35 U.S.C. § 121 as follows:

- I. Claims 1-7 and 18-25, drawn to a concentration monitor, classified in class 422, subclass 68.1.
- II. Claims 14-17, drawn to a method of using a concentration monitor, classified in class 702, subclass 23.

Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-7 and 18-25, with traverse.

Traversal

Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-7 and 18-25, with traverse. According to MPEP § 803, there are two criteria for a proper requirement for restriction between patentably